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Annual Luncheon Phi Delta Kappa

HOTEL MUEHLEBACH

Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1917, 12:30 p. m.

N. E. A. Department of Superintendence

KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI

MENU

Grape Fruit, Maraschino

Cream of Tomato, En Tasse

Ripe Olives

Filet Mignin, Sauce Bernaise

String Beans Francaise

Potatoes Croquette

Head Lettuce Salad

Ice Cream, Muehlebach

"No Smokes"

DESSERT

Toastmaster....Bro. W. W. Charters

Who's Who—Response by each member present.

Coffee

TOASTS

Bro. W. W. Charters

Bro. F. J. Kelly

Bro. Carter Alexander

Bro. David Snedden

Bro. Ernest Horn

Bro. Paul Monroe

Bro. Guy M. Whipple

Bro. P. P. Claxton

Music—(Courtesy Bro. A. H. Monsees, Jefferson School, Kansas City).

Leader, Miss Lena M. Spoor, Supervisor of Music.

After the Eats.

On the menu cards we found as toastmaster the name of Brother Charters, Dean of Education at the

University of Missouri. For the word "toasts," however, Brother Charters preferred to substitute "tests," putting the expected oratory on the much higher plane of science. "The rest of the program," he began, "will be a series of measurement tests; we are going to give some of our distinguished brothers a taste of the iniquities that they have recently been heaping upon the educational world. To make these absolutely scientific, we must keep the standards strictly objective; the chief standard will be the stopwatch, with the usual time limit—we will make it five minutes." On behalf of the Missouri Chapter, Brother Charters now welcomes the visiting brothers, and called for a response for the Kansas Chapter from Brother Kelly, Dean of Education at Kansas University.

Brother Kelly's remarks were happy and well-timed—and well within the time limit. Referring to the frequent and strenuous athletic rivalry between Kansas and Missouri, in which Kansas has of late been the loser, he said humorously: "In any other place except a Phi Delta Kappa gathering I would refuse to join with Missouri in anything, but here I gladly join with Brother Charters in extending you a hearty welcome."

Brother Carter Alexander, of Peabody Institute, also succeeded in keeping within the time limit. "We of the South," he explained, "are slow—very slow; in fact we are really thought to be too slow to make any sort of measuring tests applicable to us." Because of the mixture of good and bad pupils in the schools of the South, and particularly because of the large negro element, Brother Alexander expressed the opinion that it will be there that the measurement tests will be fully tried out; for in the South it can be shown better whether their success rests upon the nature of the test

itself or largely upon the pupils. In conclusion he expressed the hope that his next attendance at such a luncheon would be as a member of a chapter of Phi Delta Kappa at Peabody.

Brother David Sneddon of Harvard spent a considerable part of his time humorously, particularly in complaining of the lack of cigars, but he was finally able to settle down and give us a message in closing.

But Brother Paul Monroe of Columbia University refused to be held in bounds. "These surveys," he said, "which some of our brothers are inflicting upon us as new and marvelous, are not at all new. Why, just turn with me in your Bibles to the Book of Numbers, and you will find a record of the first survey ever made." For fifteen minutes Brother Monroe held us spell-bound with his scintillating Bible parody of the modern survey. While not all of us were able to follow closely his reading of the Bible, still he was able to make out, humorously, a very bad case for the promoters of surveys. We were not sorry that he overstepped his allotted time.

Brother Whipple, of the University of Illinois, was the last victim of the "tests." "I have been assigned," he began, "the wrong part; I was asked to make a really serious talk, and I fear it will be impossible." And Brother Whipple proceeded to prove this point with a volley of side-splitting jokes. As his time limit approached, however, he gave us these serious points: First, that by means of his tests he can determine to a great extent the particular aptitudes of the individual pupil and the sort of work that should be assigned to this pupil; second, that tests, to be real tests, must be applied under class-room conditions, rather than to a few students in senior or graduate classes in college.

Although disappointed that Brother Horn of Iowa and Brother Claxton, Commissioner of Education, could not be present to take their "tests," we went away feeling that these "tests" had been fully as successful as any toasts might have been.

The success of the luncheon was due primarily to the painstaking care of the local committee, consisting of Brothers White, Johnson, Philpott and Monsees, Kansas City members of Missouri Chapter. Every detail had been carefully arranged, even the matter of music, which was furnished by the pupils of Jefferson School, of which Brother Monsees is Principal.

W. W. HAWKINS,
President Kansas Chapter.

Notes by the Managing Editor.

The Brothers who were not present cannot fully appreciate the complete success of the program, even to the matter of "no smokes." The committee decided that Missouri should set the pace for future N. E. A. luncheons of our Fraternity. It seemed for a while near the close of the luncheon that this particular direction of the committee was to be ignored. Two or three brothers thoughtlessly or bravely, dared to light their cigars, but Brother White soon had them singled out and the smokes disappeared. Not only did the smokes disappear but one smoker as well. An Eastern brother, upon learning that he was not allowed to use his after-dinner cigar, left the room in disgust at the curtailment of his personal liberty.

There were perhaps thirty or forty members of our Fraternity present at the Kansas City meeting, who for one cause or another did not get to attend the luncheon. We undoubtedly had close to two hundred members in attendance at the meetings.

Due to the thoughtfulness of Brother Didcoct of Illinois Chapter, we secured the names of those in attendance at the luncheon. They follow:

California.

W. G. Hummel, Berkeley, Calif.,
Agricultural Education.

Chicago.

W. A. Bailey, Kansas City, Kans.,
Principal High School.

W. G. Binnewies, Wichita, Kans.,
Prof. of Education, Fairmount
College.

W. C. Campbell, Niles, O., Supt. of
Schools.

Alfred B. Cope, Emporia, Kans.,
Prof. of Education.

George S. Counts, Newark, Del.,
Prof. of Psychology and Educa-
tion, Delaware College.

J. O. Engleman, Decatur, Ill., Supt.
of Schools.

H. H. Faust, Janesville, Wis., Supt.
City Schools.

William S. Gray, Chicago, Ill., Dean
of the College of Education, Uni-
versity of Chicago.

D. W. Horton, Mishawaka, Ind.,
Supt of Schools.

Geo. R. Johnson, St. Louis, Mo.,
Prin. Adams School.

Forrest A. Kingsbury, Ottawa,
Kans., Prof. Education, Ottawa
University.

P. C. Lapham, New Hampton, Ia.,
Supt. of Schools.

J. G. Masters, Omaha, Neb., Prin.
Central School.

Walter P. Morgan, Macon, Ill.,
Pres. Western Illinois State Nor-
mal School.

W. L. Richardson, Chicago, Ill., Di-
rector Technical Education in Ed-
monton, Alta., Canada.

Chas. C. Root, Chicago, Ill., Grad-
uate Student in Education, Uni-
versity of Chicago.

Thomas Scott, Guthrie, Okla., Supt.
of City Schools.

James H. Smith, Chicago, Ill., In-
structor Elem. School, University
of Chicago.

Columbia.

Carter Alexander, Nashville, Tenn.,
Prof. of School Admin., George
Peabody College.
University.

Samuel Windsor Brown, Columbus.
O., Prof. School Administration,
Ohio State University.

George E. Carrothers, Oxford, O.,
Director of Extension, Miami
University.

J. J. Didcoct, Champaign, Ill., High
School Visitor.

W. N. Drum, Millville, N. J., City
Supt. of Schools.

N. L. Engelhardt, New York City,
N. Y., Associate in Education
Teachers' College.

P. S. Hasty, Topeka, Kans., Direc-
tor Man. and Ind. Training.

W. W. Kemp, Berkeley, Cal., Prof.
of School Admin., University of
California.

Thomas J. Kirby, Pittsburgh, Pa.,
Prof. of Elementary Ed.

Herbert A. McKean, Kirksville,
Mo., Prof. Manual Arts.

Howard W. Nudd, New York City,
Dir. Public Education.

E. E. Oberholtzer, Tulsa, Okla.,
Supt. of Schools.

G. H. Reavis, Baltimore, Md., Mc-
Coy Hall; Asst. State Supt.
Schools Maryland.

John L. Riley, New York City, Fur-
nald Hall (student).

C. E. Rose, Boise, Idaho, Supt. of
Schools.

W. E. Scalock, Ames, Ia., Associate
Prof. Educ., Iowa State College.

Zenos E. Scott, Trenton, N. J., Asst.
Commissioner Education.

David Sneddin, New York City,
Teachers' College.

William E. Stark, Hackensack, N.
J., Supt. of Schools.

Paul W. Terry, Dallas, Tex., South-
ern Methodist University, Asoc.
Prof. Education.

W. W. Theisen, Madison, Wis., Su-
pervisor and Director of Edu.
Measurements.

M. R. Trabue, New York City, Asst.

Prof. of Ed. Administration,
Teachers' College.

F. L. Wiley, St. Louis, Mo., Sec. to
the Supt. of Schools.

James M. Wood, Columbia, Mo.,
Pres. Stephens College.

Cornell.

James Storer, Buffalo, N. Y., Sec.
Board of Education.

G. M. Whipple, Urbana, Ill., Prof.
Education.

Harvard.

Frank W. Ballou, Cambridge, Mass.,
Director Educational Measure-
ments.

Ira A. Flinner, Boston, Mass., Head-
master Huntington School for
Boys.

S. Monroe Graves, Wellesley Hills,
Mass., Instructor Wellesley Col-
lege and Supt. City Schools.

Henry W. Holmes, Cambridge,
Mass., Asst. Prof. Education,
Harvard.

Illinois.

Alfred L. Hall-Quest, Charlottesville,
Va., Prin. of Teaching, University
Virginia.

H. O. Rugg, Chicago, Ill., Instr. in
Education, University Chicago.

Indiana.

Ernest J. Ashbaugh, Iowa City, Ia.,
Extension Div. University Iowa.

J. V. Breitweisser, Colorado
Springs, Colo., Prof. Psych. and
Education., Colorado College.

Elmer E. Jones, Evanston, Ill.,
Head Dept. Education, North-
western University.

Jas. W. Stott, Princeton, Ind., po-
sition not given.

James W. Wilkinson, Goshen, Ind.,
Supt. City Schools.

Iowa.

H. W. Anderson, Dubuque, Ia., Di-
rector Research, City Schools.

G. H. Brinegar, Bloomfield, Ia.,
Supt. City Schools.

Leo J. Brueckner, Detroit, Mich.,
Bureau Educational Research,
City Schools.

J. E. Butterworth, Laramie, Wyo.,
Prof. Sec. Edn. University Wyo-

ming.

H. E. Dow, Hamburg, Ia., Supt. Schools.

Geo. H. Hilliard, Sigourney, Ia., Supt. City Schools.

H. F. Martin, Iowa City, Ia., Graduate Student, University of Iowa.

L. F. Meade, Iowa City, Ia., Supt. City Schools.

Paul C. Packer, Iowa City, Ia., Supervisor Grades, City Schools.

J. W. Richardson, Hibbing, Minn., Ednl. Research, City Schools.

Elmer L. Ritter, Iowa City, Ia., Graduate Student, Univ. of Iowa.

A. A. Slade, Cody, Wyo., Supt. City Schools.

R. M. Stewart, Iowa City, Ia., Asst. Prof., University of Iowa.

G. W. Willett, Hibbing, Minn., Prin. High School.

Kansas.

Ralph E. Carter, Lawrence, Kans., Asst. Prof. Edn., Univ. Kansas.

F. J. Kelly, Lawrence, Kans., Dean School Edn., Univ. of Kansas.

W. W. Hawkins, Lawrence, Kansas, Instr. in German, Univ. of Kansas

Abel J. McAllister, Kansas City, Mo., Rep. World Book Company.

Arvin S. Olin, Lawrence, Kans., Prof. Edn., Univ. of Kansas.

C. E. Irwin, Lamoni, Ia., Supt. City Schools.

A. H. Stubbs, Kansas City, Kans., Rep. Intercollegiate Press.

Missouri.

F. H. Barbee, Nevada, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

D. A. Bickel, Overland, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

G. E. Breece, Bogard, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

H. B. Bruner, Lathrop, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

P. P. Callaway, Jefferson City, Mo., Teacher-Training Inspector, State Dept. Education.

A. G. Capps, Columbia, Mo., Peabody Fellow in Edn., University of Missouri.

W. W. Charters, Columbia, Mo., Dean School Edn., Univ. Missouri.

Byron Cosby, Kirksville, Mo., Prof. Mathematics, State Normal.

G. W. Diemer, Excelsior Springs, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

C. F. Dienst, Columbia, Mo., Prin. Univ. H. S. and Instr. School Supervision, Univ. of Missouri.

L. R. Fuller, Columbia, Mo., Asst. in Manl. Arts., Univ. of Missouri.

Roy Ivan Johnson, Kansas City, Mo., Dept. English, K. C. Junior College.

Abner Jones, Columbia, Mo., Instr. in Edn., Univ. of Missouri.

B. M. Little, Lexington, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

Burt Weed Loomis, Warrensburg, Mo., Dept. Edn., State Normal.

C. H. McClure, Warrensburg, Mo., Head Dept. Hist., State Normal.

B. T. Melcher, Bonne Terre, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

Geo. Melcher, Kansas City, Mo., Director Bureau Research and Efficiency, City Schools.

J. L. Meriam, Columbia, Mo., Prof. School Supervision, Univ. of Mo.

W. S. Monroe, Emporia, Kans., Prof. Edn., State Normal.

A. H. Monsees, Kansas City, Mo., Prin. Jefferson School.

Geo. F. Nardin, Columbia, Mo., Rep. Houghton Mifflin Co.

L. A. Pechstein, Rochester, N. Y., Psych. and Education.

Chas. H. Philpott, Kansas City, Mo., Instr. Biology, K. C. Jun. College.

Edson D. Price, Enid, Okla., Supt. City Schools.

Herbert Pryor, Mexico, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

James A. Robeson, Pleasant Hill, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

E. M. Sipple, Moberly, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

E. E. Stephens, Columbia, Mo., Grad. Student in Edn., Univ. Missouri.

Linwood Taft, Columbia, Mo., Fellow in Edn., Univ. of Missouri.

J. S. Tippet, Fayette, Mo., Supt. City Schools.

Robert E. White, Kansas City, Mo., Dept. Math., Northeast H. S.

Nebraska.

C. K. Morse, Nelson, Neb., Supt. City Schools.

W. H. Morton, Fairbury, Neb., Supt. City Schools.

Milton P. Robison, College View, Neb., Director Edn., Normal Dept.

A. H. Staley, Superior, Neb., Supt. City Schools.

Pittsburgh.

Will Grant Chambers, Pittsburgh, Pa., Dean School Edn., Univ. of Pittsburgh.

C. E. Hilborn, Coraopolis, Pa., Supervising Prin., City Schools.

George E. Jones, Pittsburgh, Pa., Asst. Prof. Edn. and Sch. Hyg., Univ. of Pittsburgh.

A. E. Kraybill, Asbury Park, N. J., Supt. City Schools.

Howard M. Merritt, Ben Avon, Pa., Supt. City Schools.

C. B. Robertson, Pittsburgh, Pa., Director of Extension Secondary Education.

H. D. Sheldon, Pittsburgh, Pa., Prof. of Education, Univ. of Oregon.

C. R. Stone, Munhall, Pa., Supervising Principal.

Candis Tanger, Homestead, Pa., Supt. City Schools.

J. E. Wallace Wallin, St. Louis, Mo., Director Psycho. Educational Clinic, Bd. of Education.

The following did not give their chapter affiliation:

I. M. Allen, Springfield, Ill., Prin. High School.

Ernest Burnham, Kalamazoo, Mich., State Normal School.

Zebulon Judd, Auburn, Ala., Head Dept. and Prof. of Education, Alabama Polytechnic Institute.

J. J. McConnell, Cedar Rapids, Ia., Supt. Schools of Iowa.

S. J. Oppenheimer, Columbia, Mo., Supervisor of History, University of High School.

W. M. Sellman, Jefferson City, Mo., High School Inspector, Dept. of Education.

Miles C. Thomas, Vandalia, Mo., Supt. of Schools.

W. M. Westbrook, Marshall, Mo., Supt. of Schools.

It is interesting to note the geographical distribution of those in attendance at the Luncheon.

Alabama	1
California	2
Colorado	1
Delaware	1
Idaho	1
Illinois	11
Indiana	3
Iowa	15
Kansas	11
Maryland	1
Massachusetts	4
Michigan	2
Minnesota	2
Missouri	38
Nebraska	5
New Jersey	5
New York	7
Ohio	3
Oklahoma	3
Oregon	1
Pennsylvania	8
Tennessee	1
Texas	1
Virginia	1
Wisconsin	2
Wyoming	2
Total	132

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Total	132

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Publisher	1		
Student	7		

In view of the foregoing, are we making as much as we ought out of our opportunity at the Superintendence Conference? Why should we not have a program for at least one session? Is not the time ripe for it?

Missouri

The Pageant of 1917.

The School of Education of the University of Missouri presented its second annual pageant on the evening of February 22, 1917, in the University Auditorium. About two hundred people, aside from the officers and directors, took part.

The thing that is of interest to Phi Delta Kappa members with regard to this pageant is the part taken in the preparation and presentation of it by the local Chapter of Phi Delta Kappa. The pageant master, the business manager, the musical director and the director of one of the episodes, were all members of Phi Delta Kappa, and with only one or two exceptions all the other members of the chapter took important parts in the various episodes.

Although the students enrolled in the School of Education at the Uni-

versity of Missouri usually are registered for one or at the most two years, yet through the initiative of the members of Phi Delta Kappa there has been developed a very efficient organization of the students in education. The annual pageant is the most ambitious activity of the year, but there are other meetings where addresses are made by faculty members, and still others of a social nature. In all of these the members of Phi Delta Kappa take a leading part. For the last two years the president of the Ed Club, which is the name of the organization of the students in education, has been a member of the Chapter. At present the vice-president, the treasurer and the chairman of the pageant committee are all Phi Delta Kappa men.

LINWOOD TAFT, Cor. Sec.

Stanford

Chapter Activities.

The last few months have been busy ones for Stanford Chapter. The Chapter News Letter, which has been somewhat irregular in the

past, has been placed on a securer basis. It now appears regularly once every six weeks, and has been dignified with the title "Delta News," Stanford being Delta Chap-